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Situation as of 0900 hrs on 2022-02-18
Event Overview:
- No demonstrators reported to be on Parliament Hill at this time.
- Approximately 40 demonstrators reported on Wellington and surrounding area.
- OPS is currently clearing the intersection of Mackenzie King Bridge and Nicholas.
- A number of arrests have taken place since 2022-02-17, including organizers **Person**
Personal Info. The arrests have continued throughout the morning of 2022-02-18.
Operational Information:
Officer Awareness:
- Ontario OCC advised of an arrest warrant for police hater **Personal Info.**
Personal last seen in Avlmer, Quebec. Uttering threats and criminal harassment.
o Vehicle registered to **Personal Info.**
- CIG update#172: **Persq** (pictured below) last name unknown also attended. Following the conference he attended a white trailer parked on south side of Wellington between Kent & Lyon. In the video he notes that a recliner chair in the trailer is where he sleeps. **Persq** appeared to have a knife on his right hip. [i]
o Update: The veteran is believed to be **Personal**.
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RCMP was advised of a public tip reporting a FACEBOOK account belonging to **Personal Info.** calling for a “serial political killer” and the overpower of police in downtown Ottawa. [ii]

o The FACEBOOK account has since been removed. POCC & FPNS have been informed.

Subjects of Interest:

- CIG OSINT has located photos posted on Twitter of **Personal** being arrested.
- OPS reports that **Personal Info.** who was arrested on his outstanding warrant, was released unconditionally as warrant could not be enforced (St-Thomas Police was contacted).
- CIG OSINT located a Twitter post, which captured a video of **Personal Info.** encouraging people to go down to Ottawa as Sky states the orders from PM TRUDEAU are illegal and if they get arrested, they have legal recourse.[i]

Additional Intel Updates:

- CIG OSINT located the Facebook page for the Freedom Convoy 2022 posted approximately an hour ago with an active link to the GiveSendGo fundraising page.

o The GiveSendGo website appears to be actively accepting donations (current as of 2022-02-17). The amount raised to date is approximately \$9.6 million USD. [iii]

- CIG OSINT located a Twitter post in which an individual wearing full CADPAT uniform and a tan beret is observed. The individual has not been identified at this time. DND has been advised.[ii]

- OPP Intel reports a YouTube streamer which appears to state that the white vans seen in the videos are police units. The streamer is reported to still be filming the vehicles.[iii]

- OPP Intel has observed posts to the **s.37** The **Personal Info.** **Perse** which indicates that there is apparent “doxing” of the hacker who exposed account information of those that donated to GiveSendGo.

- OPP Intel has observed a general call out with instructions for demonstrators wanting come to Ottawa. “For those going to Ottawa, I have a friend up there, he said the POLICE ARE BLOCKING THE 417 DO NOT TAKE THE 417. TAKE THE BACK ROADS WE CAN STILL GET IN.”

FPNS Task Force Updates:

o OA Reviewed CIG updates: #170/ #171/#172 - Concerns identified below

§ PROS 2022-205535 - CIG #171 – File generated involving a **Perse** **Personal** who posted a facebook video within which he makes threatening comments, indicating PM TRUDEAU will be welcomed into a new world next weekend. TIOS and OA tasked and working on the video and screen captures. FPNS continues to monitor.

§ PROS 2022-200901 - CIG report #164 – File generated following a report from POCC regarding a threat to DPM Chrystia FREELAND by email from a **Personal Info.** IRT forwarded a BN on this matter.

UPDATE 2022-02-17 Updated BN forwarded by IRT. K DIV tasked and IRT continues to monitor.

§ PROS 2022-197226 - File generated involving **Personal Info.** btb in the Ottawa protest. **Personal** is ex-military, currently very radical in his point of view against the government, a leader of a group in the Ottawa protest who “are here for the last stand” and could possibly have firearms.

FPNS

2022-02-17

preliminary checks at **Personal**’s residence, with negative results

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complainant for further information and F DIV tasked to attend the

residence again and knock this time. UPDATE 2022-02-17 2000- F

DIV conducted the door knock at the possible residence of **Personal Info.**

but no answer was received. FPNS and F DIV continue attempts to

locate **Personal Info.**

Operational Planning:

- Nil updates at this time.

Protective Clients and Protective Sites:

- **s.37** remain in the NCR.

- **s.37** is in Montreal, returning today.

Communications:

- Media primarily reporting on the recent arrests made in the downtown area, including reports of main convoy organizer **Personal Info.** being arrested. Media also continue to report on an increased police presence as well as on the security perimeter that has been established earlier yesterday afternoon.

- The Ottawa Police has released information on the Secured Area to ensure that individuals comply with the Emergency Measures Regulations and to ensure designated places are protected.

(<https://www.ottawapolice.ca/Modules/News/index.aspx?newsId=55f169a4-101f4860-83c6-8c645f9bfe86>)

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A media request was received by all ICC partners from Global News asking about information regarding the arrest of convoy leader **Personal Info.** The OPS responded that the Ottawa Police Service does not confirm or deny an investigation about a named person or the arrest of a named person until such a time as charges are laid.

Charges laid are a matter of court record.

- The RCMP just launched a Web site to help Canadians quickly find the most up-to-date information on the disruptions/blockades. The blockade.rcmp.ca site is a “one stop shop” for news releases, statements, media advisories, and backgrounders related to the unfolding situation from all divisions as well as updates from our partners including Ottawa Police Service, the Ontario Provincial Police.

- For situational awareness, CBC’s The Fifth Estate has reached out to the OPP as they interviewed convoy organizer **Personal Info.** mentioned that constant communication with a number of OPP and OPS officials, updating them on his convoy’s progress. The OPP provided a response mentioning that these officers are part of the Police Liaison Team, whose primary role is relationship building, as well as opening and maintaining lines of communication with involved parties, as a component of the police response to major events and critical incidents, including demonstrations.

[i] <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mYEnKkCW6SY>

[ii] <https://www.facebook.com/Personal Info.>

[i] <https://twitter.com/Personal Info. status/1494490104261316608>

[iii] <https://www.facebook.com/Personal Info.>

[ii] <https://twitter.com/Personal Info. /status/1494417915973550081/photo/1>

[iii] <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=34GOJLdOjNo>